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Sales Advertised in Enterprise.

Saturday, December 8, near Mears store, by W. E. Young, horse, buggy, &c.

Wednesday, December 12, near Exmore, by Thos. R. Joyner, mules, carts, carriages &c.

Wednesday, December 12th, near Bickel Nest by R. A. Turlington, several valuable colts, cattle, sheep, hogs &c.

Wednesday, December 12th, near Modestown, by W. L. Bundick, admr., corn, hogs, fodder &c.

Saturday, December 15, in Hacks Neck, by W. L. Drummond, considerable dry goods, groceries, &c.

Wednesday, December 19, near Onley, by W. R. Young, horses, carts, hogs, corn &c.

Saturday, December 22d, near Painter by Beloit Bros., horse, hogs, potato bed frames, &c.

LOCAL NEWS.

Board of Supervisors meet Wednesday, December 12th.

Mr. B. T. Melson has his usual big line of Xmas goods. Call and see them.

Rev. H. W. Davis will preach at Woodbury Methodist Church next Sunday at the usual hour.

The announcement is authorized that there will be preaching at Halls Chapel, on Messongo, Sunday, December 9th, 3 p. m.

A drama will be given in Bell's Hall, Accomac C. H., on Friday evening, December 14th. Proceeds for benefit of Accomac High School.

Xmas. goods in great abundance and in quality and price to please everyone at Lloyd & Blaine's drug store, Pocomoke city. See their ad in this issue.

Ship your poultry and holly to J. W. Hutchinson & Co., New York. They are in a position to get you top market price. Write them before you ship your holly.

The annual sale of Mr. Harry E. Mears of valuable stock, farming implements &c. takes place this year on his farm at Keller, Tuesday, December 11th. See advertisement.

John S. Parsons, executor, will sell at public auction at the late residence of Wm. H. Gardner, deceased, on Tuesday, December 11th, beginning at 10 a. m., personal property of said decedent, consisting of farming implements, corn, fodder, &c. See posters for particulars.

A car load of fine horses and mules will be offered for sale by Raughley & Twilley at Pocomoke city, Saturday, December 11th, beginning at 10 a. m., personal property of said decedent, consisting of farming implements, corn, fodder, &c. See posters for particulars.

Geo. B. Finney will sell at public auction in front of the courthouse Saturday, December 8th, 2:30 p. m., his undivided one half interest in a fifteen year lease from Henry Lang of the shore front of the farm of said Lang, including oysters, clams &c. thereon. For full particulars see posters.

The "Trower farm" at Belle Haven, was sold a few days ago by Mr. A. D. Doremus to Mr. Geo. R. Phillips for the sum of \$4,400 and he has since been offered for it an advance of several hundred dollars. Mr. Doremus, who purchased it a few years ago, realized about \$2,500 more than he gave for it.

Four other parties, tried by Justice Parker at Accomac C. H., on Thursday, on the charge of having a Government license to sell wine, ardent spirits, &c., were convicted. A fine of \$100 was imposed on each and their term of imprisonment fixed at 30 days by the Justice. All of the cases will be taken on appeal to a higher court.

John S. Parsons, attorney-in-fact, will sell at public auction on Saturday afternoon, December 8th, 1906, 2:30 o'clock, at Accomac C. H., a farm belonging to S. A. Milliner, containing 50.57 acres, situated on the road leading from the Old Church road to Daugherty, being a part of the Mears farm. For full particulars see posters.

Many fine hogs are being slaughtered in the county. In the list reported are six of Mr. Fred Waddy, near Tasley, weighing 536, 496, 458, 437, 436 and 435 lbs.; two of Mr. James E. Scott, near Accomac C. H., weighing 525 and 534 lbs., and two of Mr. John T. James, Locustville, the largest perhaps on the shore this season, their weight being 600 and 612 lbs.

John S. Parsons, special commissioner, will sell at public auction, on Saturday afternoon, December 8th, 1906, 2:30 o'clock, at Accomac C. H., the real estate of which Wm. H. Gardner died seized and possessed, consisting of a valuable farm of about 65 acres, about 1 1/2 miles north of Accomac C. H., and a four acre tract of woodland, near Accomac C. H., adjoining the lands of Thomas Gardner, Horace P. Nock and others. For full particulars see posters.

The valuable real estate of Thos. J. Melson and wife, containing 45 acres, more or less, situated on Chesconnessex Creek, will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday, December 8th, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Marsh & Bro's store, (North side.) This property has three good dwelling houses on it and a good lot of young timber, the land is high and rich and in excellent condition, the whole of it, for trucks and has a good shore for planting oysters. For terms &c., see Thos. W. Blackstone, special commissioner, and posters.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Chincoteague.

Our stores are loaded down with Xmas goods.

The M. P. bazaar, held here this week, netted fifty dollars.

Schooners Cator, Cullen and Delane arrived this week with cargoes of coal.

Large shipments are being made from this place, both of barreled and shucked oysters.

Rev. N. S. Nock, of Lebanon, Pa., has been invited to preach at Union Baptist Church.

The oysters shuckers, who left this fall to seek employment in the North, are returning home to work here.

Mr. G. Walter Mapp spent several days with us this week on business, not altogether in connection with his profession as attorney.

Misses Helen Townshend, Mildred Aydelotte and Viola Smith, of Snow Hill, are visiting friends here; Mrs. Laura Martin, of Onancock, is at the home of her parents at this place;

Rev. G. W. Kiraofe is the guest of friends in Hagerstown, Md., and Miss India Wheaton, of friends in Philadelphia; Mr. Jno. L. Anderson, Jr., who has been sick all the summer, is recuperating in Philadelphia.

Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: M. E. Selby, M. E. Hecht, C. L. Ward, Chas. F. Shelly, W. A. Hall, Baltimore; Wilford Stephens, Washington; J. F. Winans, New York; A. S. Shore, Philadelphia; T. L. Kendall, Brockton, Mass.; C. H. Lang, Pocomoke city; S. M. Truitt, Millford; Geo. Burton, Millsboro; G. W. Campbell, Selbyville; A. H. Howard, S. A. Bowen, Berlin; W. L. Kennerly, Harrington; G. Walter Mapp, F. W. Melson, L. L. Dennis, O. S. Mears, Accomac.

Rev. S. U. Grimsley died at his home on Chincoteague, Thursday, November 28th, after a long illness, aged 66 years. He was born in Richmond and was a farmer up to the civil war when he entered the army and served with great gallantry as a Confederate soldier. After the war he was ordained as a minister of the Baptist Church and was pastor of Drummondtown, Hollies, Union and other Baptist churches on the Shore. He came here 23 years ago and his last charge was at this place as pastor of Union Baptist Church. When in health he was an eloquent and forcible preacher. His wife, one son, Mr. Page Grimsley, and two daughters, Mrs. David H. Lewis and Mrs. John Kollick, survive him.

Mrs. Eliza Reynolds, wife of Mr. Richard P. Reynolds, died on Sunday, 23 inst., aged 80 years, after a life of great usefulness in nursing the sick and in curing cancers and malignant tumors with a remedy discovered by her. Patients came to her from almost every section of the country and many surprising cures were made by her. The poor were treated with as much consideration as the rich by her. She was a life-long and consistent member of M. P. Church. Her husband, three sons—William, Isaac and Joshua Reynolds and one daughter, Mrs. David Steelman, survive her. She was the sister of Mr. J. A. M. Wheaton and aunt of Messrs. D. J. and J. W. Wheaton, and Mrs. E. P. Timmons, of Philadelphia.

Harborton.

Mrs. Valentine Read Brittingham is quite unwell at this writing.

Miss Madge Kelley, who has been very sick, was seen on the street Sunday.

Mr. Harvey Hoffman, who has recently been very sick, we are glad to say is very much improved.

The young people of our town are wishing for cold weather; they wish to ride on the ice boats of course.

Miss Margie Read has returned from Tangier Island, where she has been teaching school for the past few months.

Mr. Ralph Hoffman, who is attending school in Onancock, spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hoffman, of this place.

Mrs. Jane Sparrow, wife of Capt. John Sparrow, died Saturday night last. Funeral services were held over her remains at the Harborton M. E. Church, South, on Monday afternoon, by her pastor, Rev. R. O. Payne. Interment was made in the family burying ground at the old homestead.

Painter.

Mr. C. H. Hudson, Birdsneest, spent Tuesday in town.

Mrs. A. T. Hickman spent a few days at Bloxom last week with relatives.

Rev. E. Mickle, of Cape Charles, spent a few days at Penn Kathols Lodge, the home of Mr. H. A. Penrose this week.

Mr. E. H. Parsons and son, A. K. Parsons, with a party of gentlemen from Philadelphia, were in town this week on a business trip.

Miss Clara Duer is closing out her millinery stock at cost. Those wishing bargains will no doubt avail themselves of benefit of this sale.

Polk Miller, with his famous quartette, one of the best in the South, will be here Tuesday 11th. Tickets now on sale at J. H. Turner's store.

On account of some new cases of diphtheria having developed it was deemed best, not to open our school until next Monday, 10th inst.

If you want a large stock from which to purchase Xmas presents call at

A. H. G. Mears.

Furniture and carpets also included in our cut-price sale.

Ames, Mills & Co.

For cheap furniture of all kinds go to

B. S. Ashby & Co.

Onancock.

Miss Sarah Drummond, of Cape Charles, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas E. Fletcher.

The total enrollment of the Onancock High School for this session is 192, the largest in its history.

Miss Annie E. Hopkins is at home again from a pleasant stay with relatives and friends in Baltimore.

Miss Vida W. Kelly returned Wednesday from a visit of several weeks to her brother, Dr. Winfred W. Kelly, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The residence of Capt. N. B. Richardson East Main St., is being thoroughly overhauled. New porches have been built and other improvements made.

The waiting rooms at the steamboat wharf are about completed. They are attractive and comfortable, and have the modern improvements, water, gas, heat &c.

Services have been held during the week, afternoon and night, in the Presbyterian Church by Rev. G. McK. Shield, of Norfolk. Mr. Shield is a fluent, forcible speaker, and by reason and illustration gives much food for thought.

The older boys and girls of Onancock Academy will remember one of their teachers, Mr. E. A. Saunders. Monday last he took his seat as the representative of the 5th Virginia district in Congress, and already predictions are being made of the important part he will play in National Legislation. In the State, merited distinction has been given him.

The bazaar given by the Junior Guild of the Episcopal Church Wednesday night was quite a success. It was held in the handsome room of the new brick stores, which was kindly offered by Mr. John S. Waples. The tasteful arrangement of potted plants and variegated paper, the beautiful ceiling, and the bright, happy faces of the young lady attendants made a scene that won general commendation.

Onley.

Dr. Angle made a business trip to Norfolk and Richmond last week.

The L. T. L's., will meet at home of Miss Nellie Parks night of December 7th.

Chester Savage shipped from our station, November 28th, 745 pounds of poultry.

Rev. Mr. Staples will preach at Onley Hall next Sunday, December 9, 3 p. m.

Mrs. Otelia East will not build on her lot here as reported in a late issue of this paper.

A child of Hubbard Matthews was so badly burned on Sunday, that it died on Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Scott, wife and son, of Pocomoke City, are at home of Mr. J. F. Parks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Parks entertained a large company of relatives and friends on Thanksgiving.

Mr. Levi Core, taken to hospital in a critical condition, is now improving rapidly with the prospect of recovery.

Mrs. Sue C. James, of Onley, has been appointed by the State W. C. T. U. executive body superintendent and hostess of the W. C. T. U. exhibit and rest rooms at the Jamestown Exposition.

Mrs. Rennie Steven-on and daughter are here at the home of her parents this week; Mr. W. F. White was a late visitor to Baltimore and Messrs. Lloyd Taylor and Roy Broughton late visitors to Richmond.

On last Tuesday the Onley W. C. T. U. met at home of Mrs. B. T. Parks with a good attendance. Much interest was manifested in securing funds to help the State W. C. T. U. exhibit and rest rooms at Jamestown.

Bloxom.

Miss May Bloxom is home from Richmond.

Mr. Joe Bloxom is visiting at Horn-town this week.

Rev. W. W. Sawyer has returned home from his hunting trip.

Mr. W. H. Bloxom spent Thanksgiving in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. J. W. Barnes made a business trip to Eastville on Monday.

Dr. W. W. Kerns has beautified his dwelling and office with a new coat of paint.

Mrs. George W. Messick, of Georgetown, Del., is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Short this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland, of Chertown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Wessels, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hickman, of Painter, were guests of Mr. H. T. Mason and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. W. Somers, reported ill with pneumonia last week, we are sorry to say is not much improved at this writing.

Prof. R. T. Crowder returned Sunday night after a few weeks' recreation in Norfolk. He also was in attendance at Educational rally at Richmond.

Polk Miller, assisted by his Old South Quartette, will be at Bloxom on the night of Dec. 10th. Performance begins at 8 o'clock. Admission 35 cents, children under 12 years 25 cents.

New bargains spread out every day during our cut-price sale.

Ames, Mills & Co.

See me before you buy your Xmas presents if you want to save money.

A. H. G. Mears.

Another invoice of ladies, Misses and children's coats come in this week in all sizes. Don't fail to look them over before buying.

The Belle Haven Furniture Co.

Diamonds at Duncans.

Ames, Mills & Co.

Keller.

It is quite healthy in these parts now.

Miss Nellie Howell, of Portsmouth, Va., is on a visit to her friend, Miss Marie Byrd.

Mr. James A. Winder is quite busy this week with three sales on his hands and a flying business trip to Baltimore.

'Tis said that "Red Eye" is scarce in these diggings since Judge Mears has had a hold on the possessors of Internal Revenue License.

There is a meddlesome old creature, Madam Rumor, in these parts who reports that several marriages are to occur before the dawning of 1907.

Rev. Jno. W. Nicholson returned immediately from Conference ready to fill his appointments, but no service at Painter Sunday before or last Sunday owing to the prevalence of diphtheria, but it has so far been gotten under control, that services will be held next Sunday afternoon, in the hall, at the usual hour 3 p. m. During the time Garrison is undergoing repairs, that congregation worships in the Painter hall, but the beautiful new church at Painter is ready for the pews which are expected about 15th.

At Keller, Saturday 24th ult., the Eastern Shore Game Protective Association, through its president and counsel, N. B. Wescott, secured the conviction of John O. Wallace, of Quinby, for trapping ducks. A fine of \$50 was imposed, which with \$6.70 cost was promptly paid. In consideration of the pledge given by the defendant henceforth to desist from the violation of the game laws, the Magistrate, at the request of counsel for the prosecution, did not inflict any jail sentence. We congratulate the Association upon its intention now being manifested to enforce vigorously henceforth the game laws of the State.

Parksley.

Miss Olive Lewis spent a few days recently at Cape Charles.

Mr. Thomas Satchel made a trip to Baltimore a few days ago.

Miss Virginia Warren is at the home of her sister, Miss Fred Johnson.

Mr. Arthur Parsons is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parsons.

Mr. R. J. Bundick has moved from his farm to his residence recently erected in town by him.

Mr. Frank Lomax and wife, of Washington, are at the home of his mother, Mrs. Eliz Lomax at Hunting Creek.

Mr. Tully E. Willett, who has been in a hospital in Norfolk for treatment, has returned home much improved.

Mr. A. P. White and wife have moved from their home at Masonville to the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. Baker in town.

Mrs. Thos. Pusey, of Eastville, spent a few days at the home of her relatives, Mrs. W. U. Powell, the early part of the week, while en route to his new home at Salisbury.

Rev. Theodore Darnell, of New Brooklyn, New Jersey, will preach at the M. P. Church, Sunday morning and night; he will also preach at Hunting Creek in the afternoon at the regular hour.

Temperance Lecture.

Hon. William T. Bundick will deliver his famous lecture on "Grit, Grit and Gumption" at Oak Grove church on Wednesday night, December 26, (Xmas week). Admission for adults 25 cents, for children under 12 years 15 cents. One-half of receipts will be for the benefit of the Methodist Parsonage on Keller Circuit. If Wednesday night should be inclement, the next fair night.

R. E. Smith, president of Ruskin Cove College, says of it:

"The New Dixie Lyceum Bureau, sent Mr. Bundick to lecture to our college. He gave us "Grit, Grit and Gumption." It "took;" pure as a dew drop, fresh as a mountain nymph, it laughed and sung its way into our very hearts. Bundick is great."

Bazaar and Entertainment Dec. 14.

The pupils of Accomac High School will hold a bazaar in the vacant store near the town hall on Friday, December 14th. Doors open at 3:30 p. m. At 8:00 p. m. the young people of the town will give, in the town hall, an entertainment consisting of a farce: "An Interrupted Proposal," and a drama: "Just For Fun." Tickets 25 cents, reserved seats 35 cents, on sale at the drug store.

Supper will be served at the bazaar from 4 to 10:30 p. m. All proceeds for the benefit of Accomac High School. Come and have a good time. Committee.

Bazaar.

The ladies of the Episcopal Church, of Bloxom, will hold a bazaar and oyster supper on Friday, December 14th, afternoon and night, for the benefit of the church. The audience will be entertained by recitations, and songs by the best talent of the Shore. At night the person holding the lucky number will receive the fancy quilt.

No need to look further if you want Xmas presents, we have them in the greatest abundance.

A. H. G. Mears.

Big lot of silks. Goods worth from 75 cents to \$1.00 per yard, going during our sale for 59 cents per yard. If you want bargains come this way.

Ames, Mills & Co.

If you want a nice, pretty, serviceable present for a loved one, and cannot afford a high priced one, I thought of you while buying and have it here for you.

Jno. W. Duncan, Jeweler.

Onancock, Va.

The people are right after our bargains. It will pay every one who hasn't done so to attend our "Radical Reduction Sale."

Ames, Mills & Co.

Deaths.

Mrs. Bettie Mapp, widow of the late James B. Mapp, died Sunday night after a long illness at her home at Wachapreague, aged 66 years, and was laid to rest in the family burying ground, near that place on Tuesday, after funeral at Wachapreague Methodist church, conducted by her pastor, Rev. H. W. Davis, assisted by Rev. Otto Wright, in the presence of a large throng of relatives and friends.

Three sons, James B., John E. and Edwin W. Mapp, and two daughters, Mrs. James F. Hope and Mrs. Wm. E. Ames survive her.

The deceased was a most lovable Christian lady and it can be truly said of her, that none knew her but to love her. She commanded the esteem and affection of all in the circle of her acquaintance by her high Christian life and many amiable and engaging traits of character.

Miss Lizzie Adams, daughter of Mr. Oswald J. Adams, died after an illness of a few hours, of oedema of the lungs, at her home at Accomac C. H., Thursday night, aged 22 years. Her sudden death is a great shock to the people of the town. She was a popular young lady of many excellent traits of character and had the respect and esteem of all who knew her.

Mr. William T. Kilmon, prominent as a Baptist and farmer and one of the most highly respected citizens of lower Accomac, was stricken down by paralysis at his home, near Keller, Tuesday morning, and died that night. He was a brother of Mr. N. P. Kilmon, of Accomac C. H., Mr. Geo. W. Kilmon, of Onancock, and Mr. T. J. Kilmon, of Keller. His second wife, one daughter, Mrs. Geo. C. Phillips, and several small children survive him.

The funeral of Mr. Walter Preston Gresham took place at 3 p. m. on Friday, at his late residence, 407 Glasgow street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives.

Mr. Gresham was born forty-six years ago in Lancaster county, Va., and was the eldest son of Mr. Samuel Preston Gresham and Mrs. Mary Harvey Gresham, a gifted authoress.

Before coming to Portsmouth, Mr. Gresham spent a number of years as an instructor, but had been compelled to give up his duties on account of failing health. Mr. Gresham was generous and kindhearted, and in culture and civility belonged to an old school type of the Virginia gentleman. His sudden death from heart failure has carried sadness to all parts of Virginia, and especially to the Northern Neck, where he was much beloved. Norfolk Landmark, 1st.

The deceased was a resident of this county many years.

Our "98" ct. ladies shoes are wonderful bargains so the ladies are saying. Come while we still have your size.

Ames, Mills & Co.

My Christmas goods line is more complete than at any time before. I have searched the best markets of New York, Philadelphia and elsewhere for things new and novel, rich and beautiful and can supply your every want in my line.

Jno. W. Duncan, Onancock, Va.

Watches, clocks, jewelry, diamonds, silver-ware, silver novelties, and that most beautiful line—wave crest ware.

We offer our entire line of ladies, misses and children's ready made skirts, short coats, capes &c., at and below cost, also our men's clothing.

B. S. Ashby & Co.

Page Ashby Killed

While Page Ashby, an oiler on the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad steamer, New York, was painting near the dynamo Wednesday evening, his clothing became entangled in the flywheel of the dynamo and he was instantly killed. His neck was broken and his body badly crushed. He was 21 years of age and lived near Exmore.

Meetings of Divisions of Exchange.

By order of the board of directors of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Produce Exchange, all local divisions will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers on Saturday, December 15th, at 2:30 p. m.

A. J. McMath, Sec'y. and Treas.

We are showing at this time a good selection of parlor suits in five prices, nicely polished frames, spring edge, \$30, \$40, \$50, \$60, \$75, delivered at your house. Terms made to suit you. The Belle Haven Furniture Co.

Call on me for anything you want in Xmas goods at lowest prices.

A. H. G. Mears.

I will be at Atlantic for the practice of my profession on Thursday and Friday, December 13 and 14, 1906.

Dr. W. A. Taylor, Dentist.

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A Great Mark Down Sale.

LADIES' TAILOR MADE SUITS—For the next two weeks we offer you an exceptional opportunity to procure a thoroughly well-made, stylish and up-to-date garment at a remarkable reduction. We are overstocked with suits and prefer to let them go at a sacrifice rather than hold over the holidays. We haven't an old suit to show you—there isn't a questionable one in our collection.

In colors—brown, blue, black, garnet and mixed; gray—all prices—all modelled after the latest fashions that are appearing in Paris and New York—now reduced to \$10.00, \$10.50 and \$13.50.

Make your selection now while our stock is at its best—don't wait for the last day.

We will also offer in latest designs a beautiful assortment of rich FURS, embracing Sable, Chinchilla, Mink, Persian and Seal at the very lowest prices possible.

Come and make a personal inspection of our immense stock of goods—not only in our Cloak Department—but every department